

All Slush Fund Evidence to Go To Grand Jury

Hirshfield Unveils Extra Checks in Police Lobby Expose and Asks District Attorney for Full Inquiry

Refuses to Hear Lusk Tells Him He Broke Faith; Senator Walters Denies Pay for Aid He Gave Bill

These were the important developments yesterday in the investigation by Commissioner of Accounts Hirshfield into the slush fund raised to grease through the Lusk bill making the rank of detectives permanent and increasing their salaries:

1. Assistant District Attorney Joab A. Banton announced that Hirshfield would turn over the matter he had in hand for submission to the grand jury.

2. Senator Clayton R. Lusk was informed by Hirshfield when he called at his office yesterday to testify that he would not examine him now. Hirshfield also charged Lusk with breaking faith with him.

3. Lusk's predecessor as majority leader of the Senate—J. Henry Walters, late of Syracuse, but now a New Yorker—testified before Hirshfield that he had assisted the detectives, but had received no money for it.

4. Checks in possession of Hirshfield show the Detective's Endowment Association used \$1,726 in twelve days in Albany and of this sum \$1,400 is unaccounted for.

5. Meyer to Ignore Hirshfield

6. Senator Schuyler M. Meyer said that the joint legislative committee would not attempt to supersede Hirshfield's investigation and was convinced Hirshfield was not using white wash.

In making this announcement Senator Meyer also declared that he would not reply to the last letter of Commissioner Hirshfield, calling the committee's unexpected session on Monday night at which Senator Lusk was examined, an "unpleasant surprise."

"I shall not pay any more attention to Mr. Hirshfield's letter," said Meyer. "I have no intention, nor has the committee, of superseding his investigation, nor do we intend to examine him. He is not sidestepping or trying to whitewash any one. If he should, why this committee will make a thorough investigation of the whole case."

Sensor Meyer was asked why Leonard M. Wallstein, associate counsel to the committee, who conducted the examination of Senator Lusk at the Monday night hearing, did not ask him and his detective friend, James J. Geagan, why they had not gone to the District Attorney of Albany County more than three months ago when they were alleged to talk about the detective bill slush fund.

Didn't Think of Them

Meyer replied that he could not say why this and several other questions of the committee had not been asked.

"I did not ask them because the questions did not occur to me until after the hearing was closed," added Senator Meyer.

Those friendly to the legislative committee regretted that Senator Lusk did not testify more completely on the quality and the quantity of the silverware the Detective's Endowment Association had after the close of the session so as to avoid the circulation of all sorts of stories which are now going the rounds. Detectives examined yesterday by Commissioner Hirshfield according to the latter, professed not to know what the silverware consisted of.

Checks Cause Surprise

The testimony of the detectives regarding their expenditures as shown by checks drawn upon the account of the Detective's Endowment Association was surprising. These checks, totaling \$1,764, were drawn during a twelve-day period in April to the order of cash in most instances, and no vouchers or other documents were produced to show how \$1,400 of this sum was spent.

None of this \$1,764 was used for the silverware given to Mrs. Lusk, as this was the presentment of late last year. Detectives testified before Hirshfield that so far as they knew practically every cent of the \$1,764 was spent in Albany, but how, they said, they could not say.

This \$1,764 brings the total amount of money known to have been raised by the detectives up to \$28,264. It is believed that the considerable sum of this was raised to be paid over in the event the bill became a law.

In addition to the two checks, one for \$4,000 which was not used, and another for \$9,000, which was cashed and turned over to Jack Kleist, the lobbyist, it was learned that a third certified check for \$16,500 was given to the detectives. This was for expenses, check was returned to its drawer when Mayor Hylan vetoed the bill.

Amazing, Says Hirshfield

Yesterday Commissioner Hirshfield called the two financial officers of the Detective's Endowment Association to an effort to learn just how much money the association spent in lobbying for the Lusk bill and to find out how much was paid for the silverware presented to Mrs. Lusk by the detectives.

"Their testimony was amazing," said Hirshfield. "They knew, they insisted, practically nothing. And more amazing still was the matter of bookkeeping, which showed less."

The witnesses were Detectives Charles B. Koerber, financial secretary of the Detective's Endowment Association, and William Daley, treasurer of the organization. Both swore that they did not know how much was paid for lobbying purposes or for any other expenses on behalf of the Lusk bill. The treasurer swore he had no book of records which would show disbursements, and depended on the checks drawn by the association to show what was paid out.

Checks produced showed that on April 6, the day before the Lusk bill was introduced, \$575 was issued by the association. Five hundred dollars was in one check and was given to Detective Edwin J. Burns, president of the association. Burns on the stand last week testified only to putting in a bill for \$85. This, it turned out, was not paid until May 5.

Witness Daley said that he did not know how Burns disposed of the \$500. On April 9 Burns received a third check for \$75. This was for expenses, and on April 16 Burns received a fourth sum. This was for \$100, the purpose of which was not revealed.

Wired for \$100

This amount was sent by telegraph to Burns in Albany in response to the following telegram:

"Charles B. Koerber, Bureau of Missing Persons, 101 Police Headquarters, N. Y. 'Wire me \$100 at once care of Hotel Ten Eyck. Waive identification.' (Signed) 'BURNS'"

Two days earlier \$250 was wired to Detective George McDonald, of In-

Civic Club All in a Ferment At Proposal It Buy a Brewery

Executive Committee Asserts It Can Take a Joke or Leave It Alone, but Facetious Members Had Better Go Outside to Discuss Civic Value of Malt

The Civic Club is in a ferment as the result of a suggestion, formally put by twenty-five members, in the form of a petition, that the club buy a brewery. The Civic Club is not a beer club and many, if not most, of its thousand or so members are said to regard the suggestion coldly.

Dr. George W. Kirchwey, president of the club, was out of the city when the petition was received and it was acted upon by the executive committee, which instructed McAllister Coleman, secretary of the club, to write to the petitioners asking them to withdraw their signatures.

Some of them are said to have done so. Their request was for a special meeting to consider the civic and social potentialities that exist in beer and to decide whether or not this club shall buy a brewery.

Purpose Appears To Be Beer

The petitioners did not say to what use they intended to have the brewery put if the club did buy one, but the inference was drawn that they purposed to have it fulfill its manifest destiny and turn out civic beer for members of this club to sip while they discussed civic affairs and the civic and social aspects of beer.

The suggestion was regarded by many of the members as undignified and altogether too light for serious consideration by the Civic Club. There was a suspicion that even its good faith might be questioned; that the real purpose was merely to lend the weight and authority of the Civic Club to the pro-beer side of the question "To beer or not to beer."

The executive committee kept the matter dark. The petition was not posted in the bulletin board of the club, at 14 West Twelfth Street, in accordance with the usual custom, and the names of the frivolous members who signed it, consequently, a matter of gossip and not a matter of record. It is said that Dr. Kirchwey was not one of the signers and that Mr. Coleman was not.

Carrying Levity Too Far

In the rebuke which the latter addressed to the authors of the petition he said:

"Publicity that would follow such a meeting would, in the opinion of the executive committee, be decidedly harmful, and while the members of the executive committee are not notoriously devoid of a sense of humor, they nevertheless feel that, under the circumstances, they are justified in asking you to reconsider your signing of this petition."

The general opinion of club members is said to be that there will be neither beer drinking nor beer thinking. They agree with Mr. Coleman that the executive committee can take a joke or leave it alone and are inclined to believe that in this case they are going to leave it alone. So far as the club is concerned, the matter is what the Women's University Club, the Union League Club, the New York Athletic Club and a number of other social organizations are going to do. They said that none of them contemplated buying a brewery.

Miller Names Censors Edit Film Offerings

George H. Cobb Is Chairman; Mrs. Eli Hosmer and J. Levenson Members of Moving Picture Board

Work Begins August 1 Commission Will Have Its Headquarters at Albany and a New York Branch

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

ALBANY, July 20.—George H. Cobb, of Watertown, former Lieutenant Governor, to-day was appointed chairman of the new Motion Picture Censorship Commission by Governor Miller. The other members of the board are Mrs. Eli T. Hosmer (Helen May), of Buffalo, and Joseph Levenson, of New York City. The appointments are for one, three and four years, the long-term appointment going to Commissioner Cobb and the short term to Mr. Levenson.

The commissioners are to receive \$7,500 a year and are to assume office on August 1, when the act providing for a state motion picture censorship will go into effect. The commission will have its headquarters in Albany, and possibly branch offices in New York and Buffalo. The act creating the commission provides that no motion picture shall be exhibited in this state unless it has the approval of the commission. A tax is provided for the exhibition of films, and it is anticipated that the revenue from this new source will be close to \$1,000,000 a year.

The license fee amounts to \$3 for each 1,000 feet of original film and \$2 for each additional print. News reels, scientific and educational films are not taxed.

Commissioner Cobb, prior to being elected Lieutenant Governor, was a member of the State Senate. He served as majority leader in 1910 and 1911.

Mrs. Hosmer is vice-chairman of the State Congress of Mothers and is active in other women's organizations. She was a delegate to the National Republican Convention in Chicago last year.

Commissioner Levenson is Republican leader of the First Assembly District in New York County. He is a director of the Young Men's Hebrew Association and a member of the Educational Alliance. He is engaged in organizing a movement to combat the spread of socialism.

It is understood that the new commissioners may meet Governor Miller in Albany next week for a conference before taking up work. Deputies and inspectors are to be named. The censorship will apply to all motion pictures shown in and produced in this state after August 1. It will not apply to pictures produced before that time and which are now in circulation.

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July 21, 1921.

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Film Censors to Confer With Producers Aug. 15

Effort Will Be Made to Reach Understanding at Meeting in Universal City

Representatives of virtually all the boards of cinema censors in the United States and Canada will meet in Universal City, Calif., Aug. 15 to confer with motion picture producers on problems of censorship. Mr. Laemmle, president of the Universal Film Manufacturing Company, announced yesterday that in the interest of the industry he had extended an invitation to the various boards and had received acceptance from the boards of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland, the cities of Chicago, Detroit, Kansas City, Toronto, Vancouver and Montreal and the National Board of Censorship. Mr. Laemmle said producers hope to reach an understanding with the censors as to what can or cannot be produced.

The party, with the exception of the Pennsylvania representatives, is to assemble in Chicago on August 10 for the trip to the Pacific Coast. All expenses are to be borne by Mr. Laemmle's company.

"We must open the door and let in the light of common sense and common understanding on the censor situation," says Mr. Laemmle. "Notwithstanding all their efforts, the producers do not yet know what all the boards insist on, and there is no uniformity in state and city board decisions. If this meeting brings the censors together so that their rulings and requirements are more in conformity it will be very helpful. And if producers, directors, scenario writers and authors can be shown what is and what is not admissible, much time, money and effort can be saved. In our own case we have a tremendous amount of money tied up in the 'Foolish Wives' picture. This film may or may not conform to all the requirements of the various boards, but we shall feel much more confident, sending it out, and so will every exhibitor, if the boards themselves have had a hand in cutting it."

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Weather Report

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Others of surf satin, \$4.50 to \$11.75. Separate knickers to wear under the frocks, of satin or taffeta; \$5.25 to \$7.95.

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Breakfast forks.....\$10.00 doz.

Dinner forks.....\$10.00 doz.

Individual salad forks.....\$10.00 doz.

Oyster forks.....\$6.50 doz.

Dinner knives, flat handles.....\$7.50 doz.

—hollow handles, \$17.00 doz.

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—hollow handles, \$14.00 doz.

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6 Firemen Hurt When Patrol and City Bus Collide

Crash at New Bowery and Madison Street Wrecks Apparatus and Hurls 9 Men to Ground; 1 May Die

A fire patrol and a city bus collided at 8 o'clock last night at New Bowery and Madison Street, wrecking the fire patrol and injuring six of the nine firemen, one of them so severely that he may die. There were no passengers in the bus. The driver was not hurt and was locked up.

The fire patrol was No. 4, whose station is at 113 East Ninetieth Street. Fires were so numerous last night and the fire patrol districts are so large that when an alarm was turned in for a fire at a stable at 29th Street the patrolmen up in Ninetieth Street had to turn out for the long run.

With Edward Cox at the wheel, they were speeding down New Bowery, almost within sight of their destination, when the bus lumbered across their course at Madison Street, coming from the west. Cox turned his wheel sharply to the left to cross ahead of the bus and at the same moment Horace Ganz, the driver of 275 Delancey Street, catching sight of the patrol, for the first time, he says, pumped gas to his engine with the idea of crossing ahead of it.

They came together with such violence that the patrol was flung against a pillar of the elevated structure and all the men in it thrown to the street. The step was ripped off and so was the front end of the patrol. The patrolman took the injured patrolmen to Volunteer Hospital in his car. They are:

George Stone, of 818 Jackson Avenue, the Bronx, fractures of the skull and of the right arm; Francis Stevens, 421 New Rochelle Road, the Bronx, a fracture of the arm; Harry Koch, 27 Morningside Avenue, lacerations and contusions; William Walsh, 647 East Tremont Avenue, the Bronx, fracture of the knee and lacerations; Joseph O'Neill, 462 Amsterdam Avenue, contusions and scalp wounds, and Henry Stone, 222 East 12th Street, the Bronx, a fracture of the finger and abrasions.

Stone and Walsh remained at the hospital. The other seven were taken home after their injuries had been treated. Stone's condition is serious.

Ganz was arrested, charged with felonious assault. He said he neither heard nor saw the fire patrol until it was almost upon him when he was half-way across the intersection of the streets.

The fire in the stable was of no consequence.

Walters Tells Pat He Took Ex-Senator's Part in His Testimony

Fore the commissioner was entirely frank in his testimony. He told of the visit to his office here of a committee of detectives to ask him to assist them in drafting their bill and to assist in its passage in Albany. Walters told them that regardless of the merits of the bill it would be opposed by the uniformed members of the force, but that they insisted on going on with it, and he agreed after the bill had been passed.

The result, he said, was the introduction of the Harris bill on March 28, and then he added:

"But my interests ceased when the Majority Leader (Lusk) introduced the bill, for that insured its passage."

When Senator Lusk appeared at the office of Commissioner Hirshfield he greeted the latter with:

"Am I too late?"

"I'm not going to examine you today," replied Hirshfield. "I so wrote Senator Meyer yesterday. You came here last Monday and arranged to come before me to-day, and immediately after leaving this office you hurried over to your committee's headquarters and had them call a sudden meeting so that you could make it before I do. You broke faith with me. I don't want to examine you now. When I want you I shall let you know."

"I didn't come here to be examined but to help your investigation," Lusk replied.

Slayer Twice Found Insane To Die Today at Sing Sing

OSISING, N. Y., July 20.—Arrangements have been completed at Sing Sing prison for the execution to-morrow evening of John P. Bulgo. Since his arrival at Sing Sing, it has been established that Bulgo twice was sent to asylums for the insane. He used a rifle barrel to beat Edward Johnson and his wife to death at 852 East Twenty-ninth Street, Brooklyn, July 4, 1920.

Bedtime Stories Longlegs Loses His Temper

By Thornton W. Burgess

Who keeps his temper well in hand The situation will command. —Peter Rabbit.

With that loud thump by Peter Rabbit on the bank of the Smiling Pool right behind Grandfather Frog things happened fast. My, I should say! Grandfather Frog dove into the water with a great splash and disappeared in the mud at the bottom, out where the water was deep. Longlegs the Heron made a quick step and lunged with his long neck, but his great bill reached that lily pad where Grandfather Frog had been sitting just too late.

It was provoking. He had so nearly caught Grandfather Frog that he was almost in his face as Grandfather Frog dove. It is very wonderful that Longlegs lost his temper. Anybody would have to have a dinner disappear just as it was about to be swallowed. Longlegs seemed like a flash. There on the bank sat Peter Rabbit. He looked as if he might be trying to hug himself with joy over Grandfather Frog's escape.

Longlegs knew instantly what had frightened Grandfather Frog. With a harsh scream he whirled and started for Peter Rabbit, and his eyes fairly blazed with anger; they were quite terrible. Now, Longlegs the Heron may be awkward looking, but he can move quickly when he wants to, and he wanted to now. His legs are long, as you know, and when he helps himself along with half raised wings he can get over the ground fast.

Peter was so surprised that he fell over backward, which was fortunate for him. That sparkle bill of Longlegs just missed him. Peter scrambled to his feet and away he went, lippingity-lippingity, twisting and dodging. Longlegs, with his great wings half raised, after him screaming with anger. For a few minutes

Peter dodged as he had never dodged before. Then he got a chance to use those long legs of his, and away he went, lippingity-lippingity, as only Peter can.

Then Longlegs gave up. For a minute he danced with rage. "I'll pay you for this, Peter Rabbit! Some day I'll pay you for this!" he screamed, and his voice was not at all a pleasant thing to hear. Then, because he knew it was useless to hunt any more that evening at the Smiling Pool, he flapped his great wings, and with his long necks straight out behind him and his neck folded back on his shoulders he flew away across the Green Meadows toward the Big River.

Peter Rabbit sighed with relief. "My, my, what a temper!" he exclaimed. "I wouldn't have a temper like that for anything in the world. But I don't know as I blame him so very much. To have a dinner jump right out of your mouth, as it were, and all on account of a third person, must be enough to make any one get tempery. But I'm glad I saved Grandfather Frog. I am glad I saved Grandfather Frog. I am glad I saved Grandfather Frog. If he had stayed where he belongs he wouldn't have lost his temper and I wouldn't have made an enemy of him. It will be a long time before he will forgive me for this!"

Peter sighed ruefully. Then he started back for the Smiling Pool. When he got there Grandfather Frog was not sitting on any of the big green lily pads. Peter looked carefully around, and presently he saw two big, coggly eyes and the top of a green head out in the deep water. It was Grandfather Frog.

Peter chuckled. "Grandfather Frog is playing safe," thought he. (Copyright, 1921, by T. W. Burgess)

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